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DROWNING AT PEOPLES' DAM

M. Gonnella Suffers Death In Torrent

M. Gonnella, a concrete man employed at the East Bay Water Company in the construction of their big dam near San Pablo, was drowned in San Pablo creek yesterday morning when a temporary dam gave way and swept him into a raging torrent due to the heavy rain.

The current was so swift that it was found impossible to locate the body, though strenious efforts were made by the deputies from the coroner's office.

Gonnella was working on a bridge at the time and the sudden rush of water caused by the giving way of a small restraining dam caught him before he could reach land.

The drowned man was about 35 years of age. There is little hope of recovering the body until the rain ceases and the waters subside.

PLAIN STATEMENT OF FACT.

Elsewhere is a very plain and straightforward statement by Davis, the piano man, concerning an opportunity that does not often come to those who would like a piano. Mr. Davis represents the American Photo Player Company, one of the really big manufacturing concerns and wholesale piano organizations of the country, with agencies in every big city between San Francisco and St. Louis. He is simply here to establish an agency for the company, and up to March 1 is selling pianos and piano players at the wholesale price. It means that if you want a piano or a player piano you can save $100 by buying before that time. If you have any sort of doubt as to the truth of that statement drop around to the Davis establishment on Macdonald avenue near Fourth street and he will be glad to prove it to you beyond all question.

ANOTHER BIG ONE.

And still they come. This time the father of the heavyweight is D. H. Rather, whose wife presented him with a 10 3-4 pound son yesterday morning. Is he proud? Rather!

BONE DRY MAIL.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—The House, by a vote of 321 to 12, today concurred in the Senator Reed "bone dry amendment to the postoffice appropriation bill. Six members voted "present."

NEW HALL FOR LOCAL I. O. O. F.

Richmond Odd Fellows and Rebekahs are to have a home of their own, and for the purpose of discussing the proposition there will be a meeting at Bank hall tonight. A supper will be served and prominent Odd Fellows from other places will be on hand.

Options have been secured on three lots at the south side of Macdonald avenue near Eighth street, and it is proposed to finance a company to erect a two-story building on the property. It will be the largest lodgeroom in the city. There will be an elegant club room and the lower floor will be rented for stores.

Past Grand Master Barnes of San Francisco will be at the meeting and make a speech. He is one of the oldest past grands in the state.

PIANO CLASS SOCIAL.

Mrs. I. E. Robbins entertained the girls of her new piano class one evening recently at her home on Sixth street. Music, refreshments, scrapbook making and other kinds of fun were enjoyed and everybody went home reporting a jolly time. The invited guests were: Gladys Kaylor, Pearl Kaylor, Edna Doyen, Minnie Johnson, Edna Johnson and Ira Cortopassi. Another such evening is promised about St. Patrick's day to these and other new members added to the class meanwhile.

PARCEL POST SALE.

The V. M. W. Club will have no meeting this week. There will be a parcel post sale held in the Wesley M. E. church parlors on March 9. Don't forget, girls, to turn in your packages early to Mrs. George. There were 100 turned in at the last meeting.

William O'Meara, who was called to Chicago three weeks ago by the illness of his father, Philip O'Meara, sent word today of his father's death. He will return to Richmond soon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rollins and child and their mother, Mrs. V. J. Rollins, all of Burlingame, were visitors at the home of I. E. Rollins on Sixth street Sunday.

NAVAL BASE NOT CHOSEN

May Go Over To Next Session of Congress

That the selection of a site for the proposed naval base on San Francisco bay will probably not be settled at this session of Congress, is the text of a telegram received yesterday from Congressman J. A. Elston by the Oakland Chamber of Commerce.

Following is the telegram:

"The Helm Commission appeared before the Senate naval committee this morning. Helm stated that no selection had yet been made and that an additional appropriation of $50,000 was absolutely necessary for present investigation. No effort was made by Senator Phelan or supervisors to inject Hunters Point. It is certain that the Helm commission will be left to complete work. Naval committee may appropriate preliminary amounts for Mare Island and eventually purchase new site as recommended by Helm, but result not certain at this session."

A telegram announcing that the senate committee on naval affairs is heartily in favor of a $1,500,000 appropriation for a naval base on San Francisco bay was received by Mayor James Rolph of San Francisco from the special supervisors' committee now in Washington.

The proposed $50,000 for investigation will not be approved, it was said.

No mention of the prospective site was made.

MORE HE COOKS.

There are more male cooks to the square mile in Richmond than any other place. They prepared the eats at the Community Club Tuesday night, and last night they—another batch, of course—prepared the spread for the Sunday school teachers at the Presbyterian church. The feed was thoroughly enjoyed, and some of the teachers expressed the belief that it was the best ever.

The Richmond merchants have braced up considerably since the News resumed daily editions, and their advertisements now show spunk and spirit. They are interesting, contain bargains, and are drawing trade. We venture the assertion without fear of successful contradiction that the business of every merchant who advertises in the News is better now than it was six weeks ago. It pays to let the people know what you have, if you have anything worth letting them know about, and if you have not, then it pays to keep still.

The announcement by Superintendent Straub that the General Roofing Manufacturing Company will build the additional units to its Richmond plant this spring, is one of the stimulating factors for Richmond. The plant is now working to capacity and doing a big business.

Mrs. Maria Ripley will entertain Richmond Temple, Pythian Sisters, at her home on the 27th, with whist.

RAINING DOLLARS.

Enveloping the state today is the heaviest rainstorm of the season. Six inches of rain fell in the south during the last 24 hours. In the Sacramento valley there was a slight abatement in the downpour, but in the foothills it was reported that the drenching continues—a welcome boon to cattlemen.

In this vicinity the rain was copious.

MERCHANTS' BANQUED TOMORROW EVENING

There will be a meeting of the Merchants' Association tomorrow night at the Richmond Club. It will be a sort of get-together affair, and it is hoped that every merchant in the city will be on hand. These meetings are conducive to good feeling and more pleasant relations among the business men. With all the merchants pulling together each one gets his share of whatever benefit comes to any one of them.

There will be an informal program and President Harry Pulse will call upon the members for short talks.

A banquet to begin at 7 o'clock will be served by the ladies of Wesley Methodist church. The members are looking forward to something unusually fine in the way of toothsome edibles.

WAKING UP.

LONDON, Feb. 21.—"The submarine menace is grave and serious and is growing. It is not yet solved, but I am confident measures now being devised will gradually mitigate its seriousness," declared Sir Edward Carson, first lord of the admiralty, today.

BIG CROWD FOR WILSON BANQUET

A. C. Lang will be the toastmaster at the Wilson inaugural banquet to be given under the auspices of local Democrats March 3 in Pythian Castle. More than 400 tickets at a dollar each have been sold for the nonpartisan affair, many being sold in San Francisco, Oakland and interior cities. The San Francisco Democratic Club has given up their banquet and many of them will be here.

The speakers invited include U. S. District Attorney John Preston, Theodore A. Bell, Judge R. H. Lat'mer, Prof. Edward Elliott, Senator J. C. Owens, District Attorney T. D. Johnston, Assistant Attorney General Ray Benjamin, W. B. Banker and J. O. Davis. Each will give a five-minute talk.

The reception committee is composed of Attorney C. D. Horner, E. M. Tilden, James C. Owens, Attorney W. J. Hayes of Oakland, W. L. Ballenger and John F. Galvin. The program committee is composed of A. C. Lang, Judge John Roth, Attorney Daniel Barton, James T. Narbett and Attorney W. S. Robenson. Joseph Dietrich and W. F. Petillon are in charge of the decorations.

Tickets may be secured from A. C. Lang.

WILSON ASKS FOOD PROBE

Asks Congress for $400,000 to Finance It

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—Declaring the food situation constitutes "one of the gravest problems of the day," the federal trade commission announced today it will not wait for the $400,000 appropriation from Congress to probe charges of extortionate food prices.

The commission began today the actual preliminary of the probe. It is said Francis J. Heney, who forced the news print paper manufacturers into line, will have charge of the commission's investigation.

Coincidentally with the facts coming to light, the commission today received "assurances" from many large packers of the country that they "are willing to co-operate in every way with the commission." The packers wrote the commission that their books will be thrown open to that body.

President Wilson is determined Congress shall pass immediately the $400,000 appropriation which the federal trade commission has requested for the nation-wide food price probe he directed the commission and the department of agriculture to make.

ELK MINSTRELS TONIGHT.

An old-time minstrel show will be given by the local Elks tonight for the benefit of the First Christian church building fund. It will be open to the public, and admission will be 50 cents. The U. C. Glee Club and the Oakland Elks' Old Tyme Minstrel troupe will be added features. There will be numbers by the high school orchestra, cornet solo by Miss Esther McKee, classic dancing by Miss Vance, solo by Miss Margaret Knoble and an address by Rev. Boyer on General Washington. There will be many local hits.

SOCIAL SERVICE MEETING

The Social Service Bureau directors will meet at the office of Judge Roth Friday night at 8 o'clock.

Besides the street and sewer work, to cost more than $100,000, that Senator J. C. Owens is pushing along on his inner harbor section tract, he has inaugurated a tree-planting campaign that will make his property a thing of beauty this spring. Trees of six high-class varieties are being planted. They will line all the streets.

The Bay and River freight boats Hope and Belvedere, now include Oakland in their daily schedule between Richmond and San Francisco. The steamer Colusa got a cargo of the General Roofing Company from the municipal wharf Tuesday night for Sacramento river points, which marks the beginning of river traffic from the local wharf.

The Eagles' annual ball will take place at East Shore park Saturday night. The crack drill term and the drum corps will attend the affair.

FAITH IN GERMANS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 21.—Bets of 2 to 1 have been made in Wall street that neither the Orleans nor the Rochester, American registered ships now in the submarine danger zone, will be sunk.

THE PATH OF GOLD COMMITTEE NAMED

The movement for Richmond's Path of Gold lighting scheme on Macdonald avenue is going along in fine shape. President Harry Pulse of the Merchants' Association has appointed the following committee to look into the electrolier proposition: C. M. Brewer, O. R. Ludewig, W. L. Ballenger, D. J. Collins, Chas. J. Creary and Harry W. Pulse.

Manager Brewer of the Western States Gas & Electric Company secured figures in San Francisco yesterday on the cost of installing the electroliers. It would amount to about $30 each, and it is said that if the company could secure a contract for the lights for five years it would attend to the installation without cost to the city. The company now has a three-year contract. There would be from four to six stands to the block.

BIGGER BRICK PLANT.

The local plant of the Los Angeles Brick Company is to be improved by the addition of $150,000 worth of more modern machinery for the manufacture of faced brick. Superintendent John Gerlach says that the demand for this product is greater than the supply. The present machinery will be removed.

LOCAL OFFICE OF ASSESSOR.

J. O. Ford has been appointed by County Assessor Meese as deputy assessor with offices at 420 Macdonald avenue, with City Treasurer Vaughn.

GEORGE WASHINGTON SOCIAL.

The Ladies' Aid gave a George Washington social at the Presbyterian church Thursday evening. The decorations were typical of the great man, and a fine program was rendered. Light refreshments were served.

HIGH SCHOOL NOTES.

Clever Cartoons.

Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar," now being studied by the junior class is enlivened these days by the unusual cartoons of Earle Randel. One of the cleverest, illustrating the well known quotation, "But 'tis common proof that lowliness is young ambition's ladder," shows the ladder of education, each rung a teacher, being climbed by a freshman. The top of the ladder is hidden in the clouds of the future, from which in the second picture, the senior superciliously looks down "on the base degrees by which he did ascend."

In spite of the threatened rain, a group of freshman boys climbed Tamalpais last Saturday. This was the first outing of the year, but "the hikers" are enthusiastically planning for other trips when the weather becomes more settled.

Harry Adkison is confined to his home by a bad case of mumps.

ONE KILLED IN FOOD RIOT

Food Trains Will to Rushed to the East

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 21.—One man was killed and nine others seriously injured by bullets and bricks in a food and strike riot between the police and strikers of the Franklin Sugar refinery tonight.

TO RUSH FOOD TRAINS.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 21.—A gigantic campaign to relieve the sufferings of thousands of city dwellers literally starving because of the shortage of railroad cars necessary to carry foodstuffs, has been undertaken by the Interstate Commerce Commission, it was announced tonight.

TOO HIGH, MAYBE.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 21.—There is no doubt regarding the fate of the proposed ordinance setting 21 per cent alcohol as the maximum strength of intoxicants sold in Los Angeles. With twenty precincts missing, it was snowed under near 4 to 1.

MORE DIVER VICTIMS.

BERLIN, Feb. 21.—Sinking in the Mediterranean of a crowded Italian transport steamer, two armed steamers of 3000 and 4500 tons, the Italian steamer Oceana, 4200 tons, the French steamer Moventaux, 3200 tons, and the French sailing ship Approdite, 600 tons, was announced in an official press bureau statement today.

NEWS FROM THE POINT

Mrs. George Riggs will entertain the ladies of the Maccabees at her home on Idaho street on the evening of March 8.

Mrs. I. N. Jarvis is seriously ill at her home on 20th street.

Mrs. Maria Vance is ill at her home on 18th street.

The following program will be rendered at the First M. E. church at the Point today, under the auspices of the Epworth League: Piano solo, "Polka de Concert," Miss Marine Schaefer; reading, by a favorite friend; vocal solo, W. J. French; vocal duet, Mrs. E. W. Benson and Miss Trannie Freeman; memories of Washington, Rev. J. C. Gillette; vocal solo, "Anchored," Bert E. Scovle; reading, "The Nightingale and the Rose," with piano accompaniment by Mrs. Frank Adams; vocal solo, "For All Eternity," W. J. Banton; vocal solo, Mrs. F. F. Jenkins; America, the audience.

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Editorial Comment

GEORGE WASHINGTON AND THE REST OF US.

This being the 22nd of February, the day is set aside by legal enactment as a holiday, the object being to instill patriotism into the people, and especially the rising generation, and to honor the memory of the first President of the United States, who suffered untold hardships for his country's sake and whipped the British under circumstances most appalling.

Patriotism is a grand good thing, and it is a pity our people as a whole do not have more of it today and less "dollar diplomacy" and commercialized greed.

There is a streak of patriotism in all loyal citizens, but it is not so demonstrative as it used to be. And patriotism, be it understood, should apply not only nationally but locally. It is a mighty poor patriot who gets out and makes a loud noise over the birthdays of Lincoln and Washington and then spends the bulk of his earnings away from his own home town, where he earns it.

In fact, we need local patriotism more than any other kind. If you would be a real patriot, do something for your home town other than extend the glad hand and give three cheers. Boost for it, help it in every possible way, trade at home and thus keep money in local circulation, encourage all home enterprise, whether it be a merchant, a newspaper or a theater. Talk for home, fight for home—for Richmond—first, last and all the time, and then you will show the kind of patriotism of which such men as Abraham Lincoln and George Washington were made of.

Too many "eye-openers" will close them.

The North American Indian is getting so scarce of late years that he doesn't even stand out in front of the cigar stores any more.

Speaking of books, there are two that are hard to beat when in need of any kind, and those are the Bible and a bank book.

International diplomats say the cleverest spies are women. And don't we down-trodden married men know it?

SAN FRANCISCO ALWAYS UNFAIR.

San Francisco was never known to "tote fair" about anything, and that the men over there will double-cross anybody and everybody in any deal that is on is too well known to need argument.

The latest demonstration of this fact is the breaking on their part of the "gentleman's agreement" entered into tacitly by all communities around the bay to present the claims of each naval base site to the Naval Board while they were here investigating, and then to let it go at that.

Hunters Point is San Francisco's site, and its merits, what few it has, were ably presented to the members of the Naval Commission at a number of hearings prior to their leaving for Washington, as was the Alameda, Goat Island and Richmond-Albany sites. Then on the q. t. San Francisco immediately sends on a delegation to Washington to try by any means in its power to influence the Government naval authorities and members of Congress in favor of their site, thus breaking their "gentleman's agreement." This was to be expected, as a gentlemen's agreement can only be maintained where the parties thereto are gentlemen, which the S. F. gang never have been—they are only cheap politicians, and past history proves that they would steal clapboards off a house or steal the wall paper off the walls, purloin a red hot stove, cut a throat or scuttle a ship.

Luckily Congressmen Curry and Elston and H. C. Cutting knew the proclivities of the San Francisco politicians, and so headed them off, with the result that they have hurt their cause more than doing it good, as is generally the case with people who play tricky politics.

All this has been aired in the papers of late, so the people are posted upon what was going on. Mayor Rolph and others rushed into print and denied the allegations made against them, but the facts remained, just the same—and the S. F. delegation is in Washington yet, but turned to the wall.

The News is in receipt last evening of a letter from Mr. Cutting, enclosing letters from Congressmen Curry and Elston, which shows the whole status of affairs. Richmond and the east bay cities are lucky to have men like these at the bat and watching our interests.

Secretary Daniels of the navy says no further argument will be heard by the Helm Commission and that any deliberations they have on the proposed sites will be strictly executive and private.

Congressman Curry writes Mr. Cutting that the Richmond appropriation will pass, providing the rivers and harbors bill is not filibustered through with all new projects eliminated. Several in the Senate are fighting it, but Curry thinks it will go through, and so does Cutting. Needless to remark, that Pillsbury of San Francisco is trying his best to stick a knife under the fifth rib of the Richmond project.

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SUMMONS.

IN THE SUPERIOR COURT OF the County of Contra Costa. State of California.

Conradina Mosely, plaintiff, vs Ernest E. Mosely, defendant.

Action brought in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, and the complaint filed in the office of the Clerk of said County of Contra Costa.

The People of the State of California send Greeting to Ernest E. Mosely, defendant:

You are hereby directed to appea and answer the complaint in an action entitled as above, brought against you in the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, within ten days after the service on you of this summons—If served within this County; or within thirty days if served elsewhere.

And you are hereby notified that unless you appear and answer as above required, the said plaintiff will take judgment against you for any money or damages demanded in the complaint, as arising upon contract, or will apply to the Court for any other relief demanded in the complaint.

Given under my hand and the seal of the Superior Court of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, this 27th day of September, A. D. 1916.

W. D. GRADY, Attorney for Plaintiff.

By S. WELLS, Deputy Clerk.

J. H. WELLS, Clerk.

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NOTICE TO TAXPAYERS.

State and County Taxes for the Fiscal Year 1916-1917.

Office of the Collector of State and County Taxes, Martinez.

Notice is hereby given that I have received from the Auditor of Contra Costa county the Duplicate assessment book for the fiscal year 1916-1917, and

That the taxes on all personal property secured by real property, and one-half of the taxes on real property, will be due and payable on the

Third Monday in October, 1916,

and will be delinquent on the first Monday in December next thereafter, at six o'clock p.m., and that unless paid prior thereto fifteen per cent will be added to the amount thereof, and that if said one-half be not paid before the

Last Monday in April, 1917,

at six o'clock p. m., an additional five per cent will be added thereto. The remaining one-half of the taxes on all real property will be payable on and after the

First Monday in January, 1917,

and will be delinquent on the

Last Monday in April,

next thereafter, at six o'clock p. m., and unless paid prior thereto, five per cent will be added to the amount thereof.

That all taxes may be paid at the time the first installment, as herein provided, is due and payable.

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Shy and unsophisticated, Helen falls an easy victim of the notorious and which preys upon young girls and she is easily induced to go to a boarding-house which is in reality the headquarters of the gang. Failing to find employment, she decides to give violin lessons, and while practicing she hears the agonized cough of a girl in the next room. Investigating, she discovers that the girl is in the last stages of tuberculosis and that only instant removal to the mountains will save her. Moved by compassion, Helen impulsively sells the beautiful violin which is her only source of amusement and contrives to set the girl on the path to recovery.

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The Daredevil

By Maria Thompson Daviess
Author of "The Melting of Molly"

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SYNOPSIS

Roberta, an orphan, half French, half American, starting for America to stay with an uncle, meets Count de Lasselles crossing to secure mules for France.

By a mistake, Roberta's uncle believes she is a nephew. Knowing him to be a woman later, Roberta adopts man's attire.

Her uncle, General Carruthers, informs his supposed nephew that he needs his knowledge of French to straighten out a deal for providing mules for France. The governor's honor is involved in the mule deal.

Roberta pledges her aid and is introduced to Governor Faulkner and to his private secretary, Buzz Glendenning.

Mrs. Jeff Whitworth is deep in the mule scheme with her husband and endeavoring to get the governor's signature to the transaction.

The governor gives a dinner to Roberta, who has been made private secretary pro tem. She matches her wits against Mrs. Whitworth.

Roberta accompanies the governor to the state prison, where he wishes to see a murderer. The latter attacks the governor, and Roberta deflects the blow.

Roberta discovers that the murderer has killed his man in defending a woman. She secures a statement from the woman.

"What is it that I shall say to her?" I asked of myself. And then suddenly something answered from within me from the same place that had arisen that knowledge to spring in between my Gouverneur Faulkner and the bright knife I had not even seen. That place is located in the heart of Roberta, marquise of Gres and Bye, and not in that daredevil.

"Mary Brown," I said to her, with all of the gentleness in my voice that was commanded by my sympathy for her, "if a person were going to kill with a rope the man I loved I would lay down my own life that he should live. If you write one little paper to say that he murdered in defense of you the good Gouverneur Faulkner will save him to you. Give to me that paper."

"Go away!" she moaned as she shook her head and cried into her arms.

"See, Mary: Here is the pencil and the paper to write the words of life for Timms to that Gouverneur Faulkner," I said as I seated myself beside her and extracted my notebook and pencil from the pocket of my overcoat where I had placed them on leaving my room as is always best, I deemed, for a secretary. "There are just two things that are the duty of women, Mary—to bear men and to save them. Save yours now, Mary. Much will happen, it may be, but that Timms is a good man and must live."

"I dassent. He told me not to, Timms did."

"If a knife was aimed at Timms' heart, would you not throw yourself between him and its cut, Mary, even though commanded by him not to so save him?"

"Yes."

"The knife is aimed and here's the paper by which you can throw your person on that knife. Is it of such moment that it cut into your own heart, that you stand and let it give death to him?"

"I give up! I give up, mister! I can't let nobody murder him. Nobody ever put it that way to me. Give me that paper and let me git to him fer jest one minute tomorrow," she made answer to me as she seized the paper and pencil and began to write with the paper spread beside her upon the step.

"Will that do, mister?" she asked with anxiety. On that paper she had written:

Hen Timms had locked me in the room and was attacking me when Gabe broke in and got me away from him. He had to bust his head with a flatiron to make him let go of me. I am a good woman.

MARY BROWN.

"Yes, good Mary, this will shield Timms from that knife, I feel a certainty, and I will send for you and see that you go to an interview with him at 10 o'clock of the tomorrow morning. And now good night, with great respect to you for a brave woman," I said as I rose to my feet.

"Who are you, mister, that have spoke to my heart like they ain't nobody spoke to its suffering yet, though you ain't said many words, and them is curious-like?" she asked of me as I prepared to take a hurried departure.

"I am the secretary of the Gouverneur Faulkner, Mary, and—and I know—how women—love—men. I"—

"I bet a many of 'em have loved you. God bless your sweet eyes. Good night, sir!"

And with those kind words from the poor female, who was beginning again to sob, but with another motive in her weeping, I took my departure down the street—or up—I did not know in just which direction. I had the intention of returning to the house of the party to obtain the cherry, which I had left standing before the door, and in it convey the message to my Gouverneur Faulkner that should bring relief to his anxiety, but I soon found that I had lost myself upon streets that I had never seen before.

What was it that I should do? My heart suffered that my Gouverneur Faulkner should not know the relief of that paper I had in the pocket of my dinner coat, but I could not find myself, and I did not know exactly what questions I should ask. Then I bethought me of that telephone, which in America is so much used, but not in France. I entered into a store for medicines upon the corner of one of the streets in my wandering, looked diligently in a book to find the number of the mansion of the gouverneur, and, after many tellings of my desire, at last my Gouverneur Faulkner made an answer in my ear that was as beautiful in voice as the words he spoke to me in his presence.

"Well?" he asked me.

"This is Robert Carruthers who speaks."

"Oh, all right youngster! How did the party go?"

"That was a very nice party, your excellency, and I have a paper from that Mary Brown concerning the murder of the brother of good Timms for cruelty to Mary. I wish to give it to you."

"What do you mean, boy?"

"I have said it."

"Then bring it here to me at once and tell me how you got it."

"I cannot come to you."

"Then I'll come to you. Where are you?"

"I do not know. I am lost."

"Heavens, boy, what do you mean?"

"I am in a store of medicine that is many streets from that house of good Mary Brown and also from the house of the dinner party."

"You helpless young idot, call a taxi and come right here to me."

"I am promised to a dance, with Mlle. Belle by the hour of 10, of which it lacks now only a quarter. Cannot I go in that taxicab, which it is of much intelligence of you to suggest to me, and send by that taxicab to you the paper from Mary Brown while I stay to dance that dance?"

"Well I'll be— No. I can't say it over the telephone."

"What is it, my Gouverneur Faulkner?"

"I'll say it in the morning to you in person. I'll just hold up the wheels of state until that dance is over. Go ahead, youngster. Call the taxi and get back to Belle. I'll send Jenkins to get the paper, and you can—can tell me all about it in the morning. Will 9 o'clock be too early to call you from your rosy dreams?"

"I do not have coffee until 9 o'clock, my Gouverneur Faulkner, and I do not make a very hurried toilet, but I will come to you at the capitol at 9 o'clock, if you so command, very gladly."

"Oh, no. We'll all of us just—just cool our heels until you get your coffee and toilet. Don't hurry, I beg of you. Good night, and beat it to Belle, as Buzz would say. Good night, you—you— But I'll say it all in the morning if it takes a half day. Good night again." And with that parting salutation my Gouverneur Faulkner's voice died from the telephone with what I thought had the sound of a very nice laugh.

(To be continued.)

CERTIFICATE OF PARTNERSHIP.
FICTITIOUS NAME.

County of Contra Costa—ss.
State of California,

We the undersigned, hereby certify that we are partners transacting business at the City of Richmond, County of Contra Costa, State of California, under a fictitious name or designation not showing the names of the persons interested as partners in such business. That the aforesaid fictitious name or designation is PIONEER BATTERY CO.; that we as such partners are now and in the future will continue transacting the business of repairing and re-charging storage batteries for automobiles, and of buying and selling electric batteries of all kinds and automobile accessories, and will as such carry on the aforesaid business as such partners.

That the names in full and places of residence of all the members of such partnership so transacting business as aforesaid, are as follows:

CHARLES S. RENWICK, Richmond, California.
J. E. ROACH, Richmond, California.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, we have hereunto subscribed our names this 25th day of January, 1917.

CHARLES S. RENWICK.
J. E. ROACH.

State of California,
County of Contra Costa—ss.

On this 25th day of January, 1917 before me, E. E. CURTIS, a Notary Public in and for said County of Contra Costa, personally appeared Charles S. Renwick and J. E. Roach known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and they acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal, at my office in the County of Contra Costa, the day and year in this certificate first above written.

E. E. CURTIS.
(Seal) Notary Public in and for the County of Contra Costa, State of California.

(Endorsed): Filed in the office of the County Clerk of the County of Contra Costa, State of California, this 26th day of January, 1917.

J. H. WELLS,
County Clerk.
S. WELLS,
Deputy Clerk.
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Southern Pacific Time Table

Effective January 10, 1917

Leave Richmond		West Bound—Toward San Francisco	Ar. S. F.
6:26 am	No. 13	from Portland and North	7:30 am
6:52 am	No. 87	from Bakersfield, Modesto and Martinez	7:50 am
7:08 am	No. 23	from Tonopah and Reno	8:10 am
8:15 am	No. 41	From Livermore and Vallejo	9:10 am
8:35 am	No. 19	Stops let off passengers from East of Ogden	9:30 am
9:10 am	No. 1	Stops let off pass. from E. of Cheyenne	10:10 am
9:19 am	No. 81	From Tracy, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	10:10 am
10:15 am	No. 45	from Sacramento and way points	11:10 am
10:37 am	No. 47	Stops for passengers from north of Davis	11:30 am
12:15 pm	No. 49	From Los Angeles, Modesto and Martinez	1:10 pm
12:35 pm	No.127	**Except Sunday, from Port Costa	1:30 pm
3:32 pm	No. 25	from Sacramento	4:30 pm
4:15 pm	No.109	From New Orleans, Los Ang. and Martinez	5:10 pm
4:43 pm	No. 15	Stops let off passengers from Portland	5:50 pm
5:06 pm	No. 43	From an Ramon, Calistoga and Santa Rosa	5:50 pm
5:31 pm	No.129	From Avon and Martinez	6:10 pm
5:47 pm	No. 21	From Gerbr and Sacramento	6:30 pm
6:47 pm	No. 27	From Sacramento	8:10 pm
6:56 pm	No. 5	Srom Chicago	7:50 pm
7:59 pm	No. 83	From Bakersfield, Modesto and Martinez	8:50 pm
9:45 pm	No.209	From Colfax	10:40 pm
10:15 pm	No. 85	From Fresno, Newman and Martinez	11:20 pm

Leave S. F.		East Bound—From San Francisco	Ar. Richmond
11:40 pm	No. 86	for Martinez, Modesto and Bakersfield	12:31 am
6:20 am	No. 28	for Sacramento and Dunsmuir	7:10 am
6:20 am	No. 36	for Martinez, Newman and Fresno	7:13 am
7:20 am	No. 22	for Sacramento	8:08 am
8:00 am	No. 42	for Calistoga, Santa Rosa, San Ramon	8:46 am
9:00 am	No. 84	for Martinez, Modesto and Bakersfield	9:46 am
9:00 am	No. 24	for Sacramento, Reno and Tonopah	9:51 am
9:40 am	No.126	For Port Costa	10:28 am
10:20 am	No. 20	Flag, stop for passengers east of Ogden	11:09 am
10:40 am	No. 8	for Martinez, Bakersfield and Los Angeles	11:30 am
11:40 am	No. 14	for Sacramento, Dunsmuir and Portland	12:30 pm
12:00 pm	No. 100	For Martinez and Avon	1:22 pm
1:40 pm	No. 10	Flag, stop for passengers east of Ogden	2:31 pm
3:00 pm	No. 46	for Sacramento and Oroville	3:48 pm
3:40 pm	No. 44	for Calistoga, Santa Rosa and Livermore	4:28 pm
4:00 pm	No. 50	For Tracy and San Joaquin Valley	4:48 pm
4:00 pm	No. 2	Flags for passengers East of Cheyenne	4:53 pm
5:00 pm	No. 48	for Sacramento and Chico	5:48 pm
6:00 pm	No. 56	For Tracy	6:48 pm
6:40 pm	No. 6	for Sacramento, Truckee, Reno, Chicago	7:33 pm
8:20 pm	No. 16	Flag, stop for Crockett, Sacto. and Portland	9:13 pm

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By the OLD MAN.

Most folks around the bay are laying off today, because it is Washington's Birthday, and are taking in the movies or enjoying a day of rest at home. Sounds nice, but the News keeps right on grinding. People seem to like to read the News on a holiday as well as any other day. Some day we'll get a good long rest, where there will be no delinquent subscribers or politicians.

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Can't help but feel good all over about this splendid rain. It has been general all over the state and everything will just everlastingly hump from now on. It will likely help some toward reducing prices on a number of food items, such as butter, eggs and vegetables. Out at the 3x4 we have a garden started and have the lot back of the News office all spaded up, preparatory to planting it to flowers. Everybody here ought to raise a little garden sass and plenty of beautiful flowers.

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Filling in for the new buildings and warehouse along the S. P. tracks where the old lumber yard used to be is going on and work on the new structures will commence in about a week.

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We hear something about "Pay-up Week." Why not have a pay-up week every week? Spasmodic payments do not go far—keep it up! The News is for trading at home, paying cash as you go or don't go, and keeping local money going round and round.

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Now that the rains have come, there need be no further delay in beautifying the city hall grounds. We suggest that a day be set apart by proclamation of the mayor, and that on that day every city official and every citizen who wishes to, plant a tree or flowering plant. The name of the donor could be attached by a little wooden tag and if all our public-spirited men and women would turn out and plant something there it would be very nice in every way. The News will furnish something appropriate and plant it itself. How about this, Mr. Mayor?

Next Tuesday evening the Point Richmond Commercial Club is to have another meeting, and in the mean time those committees appointed by Chairman Garrard at the last meeting had better wake up and get busy, or they won't have anything to report. Stiefvater and McWhorter are both on those committees, and we expect to hear something from them other than that the price of spuds, butter and onions has ris again.

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The time draws on apace when our people will be called upon to vote upon the proposition of the new city charter, April 3. How many of you have read the charter, or know anything about it? Now, folks, whether you want a new charter or not, go to the polls and say so. And in the meantime get a copy of it from City Clerk Faris—they are free.

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The old house formerly occupied by Byrn's real estate office, next the Kurtz store, has been moved away and a brick building will take its place. Improvements everywhere.

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It is said that among other things George Washington, whose birthday we are celebrating today, made several hundred barrels of whisky each year on his Virginia farm. No wonder he licked the English.

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Again we ask you, dear reader, if you know an item that is of any interest whatever, to anybody, please phone it in. We ask your help in making this the best family newspaper ever published in Richmond.

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The police and the reporters on a morning paper get the full benefit of these nice night rains. The reporters would get all kinds of good news items if the disgusted police were not out scaring them all away.

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Supervisor Zeb Knott is off to Sacramento with Vince Hook, Jack Trythall, Buchanan and Casey. They are attending a state convention of Supervisors. County Clerk Wells is also along, as chaperon, which latter they all need.

BLAME ME.

By T. M. CORNELL.

Mr. L. Garfinkle of the Economy Store, Point Richmond, has had many inquiries as to the sale now being held by the trustees of Migel's estate, Macdonald avenue. He wishes to state that he has no connection whatsoever with any business except in his present location.

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Look for a big surprise in this column next week.

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In line with bargains, Niedecker gives you a weigh for nothing.

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The ladies of the M. E. church wish to thank Mr. Henry for his courtesy in allowing them the use of a piano for their entertainment

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Over 500 vets of the G. A. R. volunteered their services to the government for home defense. The old boys are there.

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The Richmond Supply Co. expect several cars of coal within the next few days. They'll need it if this cold continues.

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The wind was so severe today that it whipped the water from the ditches in sheets like the spray from the ocean.

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Everybody was crying for rain. Did you get it? The severe wind entirely destroyed the awning of Neill's store.

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Have you noticed the windows of Pisie's store on the Park place side.

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Mr. J. L. Bernaman has a fine new Dodge car, which he is using in the newly established Pt. Richmond auto service. Look for the posters around town which advertise his rates.

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McWhorter is offering a fine lot of stew pans for 35 cents each.

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Gee! you ought see the window at McRacken's. The swellest ties ever. Just received.

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Note the adv. of the Bachelors' Home. Hurry if you wish a good clean room.

Mrs. Newsom will entertain her Sunday school class at her home Saturday afternoon.

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Who got his reputation
By chopping down a tree.
And when they caught him in the act,
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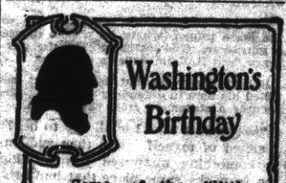
LOCAL TEAM WINS.

In spite of the rain, Haywards high sent up its crack basketball team Wednesday afternoon to meet the Richmond girls' team. An interesting game resulted in the score of 33 to 18 in favor of Richmond.

After the game the two teams were served by the girls of the domestic science department with sandwiches and chocolate.



Washington's Birthday

Some of the "little things" which make such excellent and acceptable gifts for this special day of celebration, are here in unusual variety and beauty. We refer to Jewel Boxes, Picture Frames, Bud Vases, Button Hooks, Napkin Rings, Penknives, Bon Bon Baskets, as well as any one of the attractive Toilet Accessories, which a dainty woman loves to possess.

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NOTICE TO BIDDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that sealed bids will be received by the Council of the City of Richmond, at the office of the undersigned Clerk of the City of Richmond, up to the hour of 8:00 o'clock p. m. of Monday, the 12th day of March, 1917, for the purchase, for not less than par and accrued interest, of "Improvement Bonds," numbered 1 to 89 inclusive, of the par value of Twenty-four Thousand Five Hundred Forty-six Dollars and Sixty Cents ($24,546.60), bearing interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum, on and after the 19th day of February, 1917, issued under and pursuant to Resolution of Intention No. 255-4, for the improvement of a portion of San Pablo Avenue, which said resolution contained the following: "And notice is hereby given that serial bonds to represent unpaid assessments, and bear interest at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum, will be issued hereunder in the manner provided by the Improvement Bond Act of 1915, the last installment of which bonds shall mature five (5) years from the second day of July next succeeding nine months from their date."

Each bid must be accompanied by a certified check for not less than ten (10) per cent of the total amount of such bid.

The Council reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

Dated this 20th day of February, 1917.

(Seal) A. C. FARIS,
Clerk of the City of Richmond.
Published Feb. 22-29, Mar. 8.

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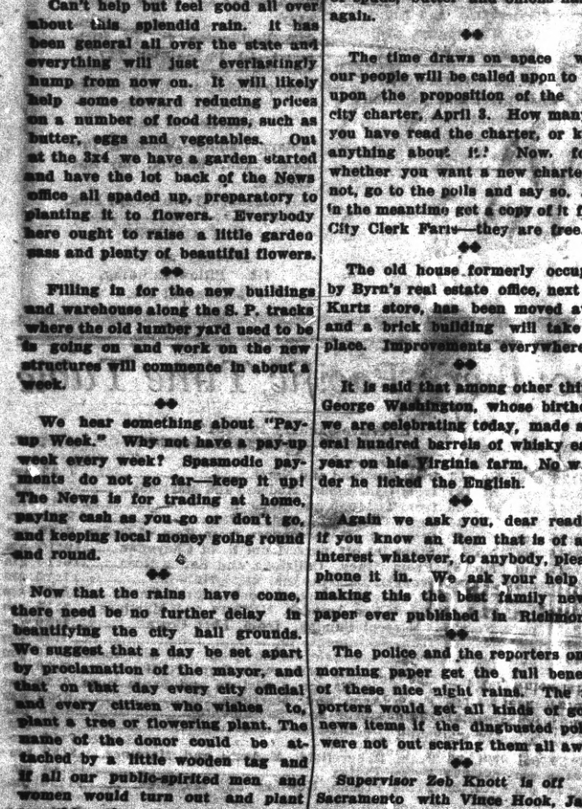

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